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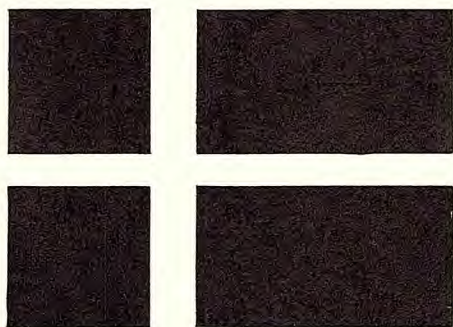
Whittier College



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Copenhagen Foreign Study Program



Expanded

Plans for expansion of the Whittier College in Copenhagen foreign study program have been announced by Dr. Paul S. Smith, president of the college.

Beginning in the fall of 1964 the number of students studying under the program will be doubled to 60. Under terms of an agreement reached with the University of Copenhagen and the Danish International Student Committee at least 40 of the 60 will be from Whittier while certain other selected colleges and universities will provide the remaining students. Danish government officials have reported that they receive several hundred letters each year asking about the program.

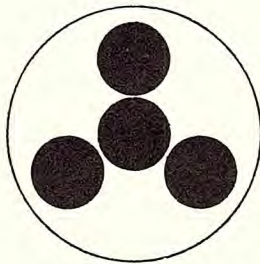
In addition to the expansion in numbers each student will have an opportunity to select five courses from among the eight which will be offered. Courses planned for the first semester include Contemporary International Politics, Modern European History, Social Welfare in Denmark, Education in Denmark, Scandinavian Literature and Drama, European Art, European

Traditions in Sociology, and Comparative Urban Structures.

A limited number of students will also be given the opportunity to study in Copenhagen during the spring semester. The academic program for the second semester will emphasize independent study under the direction of Danish professors. In addition these students will enroll in three classes. Only students who are qualified for independent studies will be admitted for the second term.

The program will retain the several features which have proven effective and popular in the past five years. These features include the students living with Danish families during their stay in Copenhagen; a three-week pre-study tour which takes the students through England, France, and The Netherlands; a week-long trip to Berlin; and several shorter trips into Scandinavia.

Dr. Robert W. O'Brien, noted sociologist and chairman of the department of sociology and anthropology has been named director of the program for 1964-65.



Copenhagen Film Available

A 27-minute color motion picture depicting the Whittier College in Copenhagen foreign study program will be available for showing after the first of the year.

The result of a five month project, the 16 mm film was produced this fall on location in Europe, featuring the 34 Whittier students who are currently studying in Copenhagen. The film will be shown on the KNBC television series "College Report" on January 19 at 3:30 p.m.



Stadium Dedicated at Homecoming

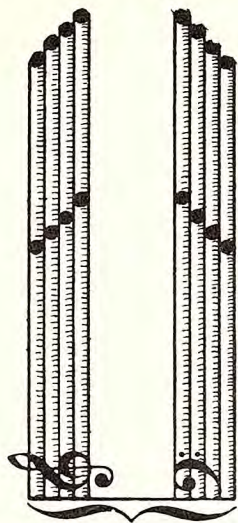
Brief dedication ceremonies marked the inauguration of the new 6500-seat Memorial Field at Homecoming on November 9th, with the homecoming queen and court, and college, student, and alumni officials participating.

The half million dollar structure is located in Worsham Canyon on the eastern edge of the campus. Designed by Architect William H. Harrison and Associates, it contains 29 rows of concrete and steel bleachers, 400 feet in length, rising on the western side of the canyon, and affording excellent visibility from all locations. The cost also includes monies spent for a major storm drain, grading and access roads.

Other plans for the development of the Memorial Field are lights for night games, parking facilities, and fencing.

The name Memorial Field honors all sons and daughters of Whittier College who have given their lives for their country.

Schlicker Organ Given By Trustee



Donated by long-time Board of Trustee member Sada Blake of Whittier, a \$50,000 Schlicker pipe organ has been installed in the Memorial Chapel, as announced recently by President Paul S. Smith. Skilled craftsmen from the Schlicker Organ Company in Buffalo, New York, installed the last of 2,095 speaking pipes on the new organ the first part of November. Built especially for installation in the new college chapel, the organ took over a year to construct.

The new instrument has been called "one of the finest of its kind and the first of its type to be placed on the campus of a college on the West Coast," by Margaretha Lohmann, Whittier College music department chairman.

Robert Prichard, college organ instructor, said that Hermann Schlicker, who came to this country after World War II and now heads the firm in charge, personally supervised the installation and tuning of the organ.

The organ has a three manual keyboard and pedal clavier. Many types of wood and metal from all over the world are used in construction. Some construction methods, said Prichard, are 400 years old, and all are hand operations. Many of the pipes are pure tin, and woods used include poplar, maple, white pine, mahogany, and walnut.

Operating mechanism of the large new instrument—the console—is mounted on a moveable platform. This mechanism consists of the three keyboards (61 keys each) and pedal clavier (32 keys), and all the "stop" controls. The console controls the individual pipes through a complex system of electrical and pneumatic switches. More than 42,000 feet of electrical cable was used in the manufacture of the organ.

The organ has been placed free-standing within the area especially designed for it when the chapel was built two years ago.

"The instrument," said Prichard, "is perfectly adapted to the chapel and the fine acoustics of the building will I am certain leave all who hear it greatly impressed."

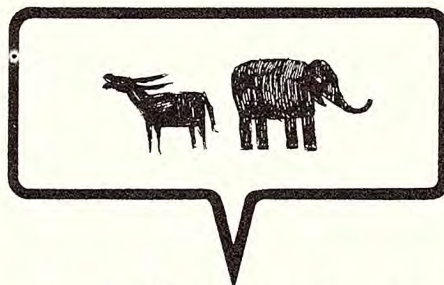
A formal dedication and a series of organ concerts featuring outstanding artists is scheduled for January 8, 10, 11, 12, 14 and 15.

The new organ is located in the Peasley Center of Religion, Music and Philosophy, built in 1961 at a cost of a million dollars.



Whittier Rhodes Scholar at Oxford

Joseph Stanley Sanders '63, first Rhodes Scholar from Whittier College is currently studying at Oxford University in England. The former Poet student body president, Little All-American football player, and small college national discus champion, is at Magdalen College studying philosophy, politics, and economics. Sanders and John Wideman of the University of Pennsylvania, are the second and third Negroes to be named Rhodes Scholars in the 58-year history of the scholarship in this country. Alain Locke, Harvard '07, later a philosophy professor at Howard University, was the only previous Negro named.



Knowland To Speak On Campus

Former U.S. Senator William F. Knowland, now publisher of the Oakland Tribune, will speak at the student convocation program on April 8-10. Convocation speakers during the fall semester included the Rev. James Lawson, Southern Christian Leadership Conference leader; Carey McWilliams, editor of The Nation Magazine; Dr. Max Rafferty, State Superintendent of Public Instruction; Edward P. Morgan, radio and television commentator; Norman Thomas, six times Presidential candidate on the Socialist ticket; Upton Sinclair, author and one-time candidate for Governor of California; Sam Rosenwein, New York and U.S. Supreme Court attorney involved in Tropic of Cancer controversy; the Honorable Jesse M. Unruh, Speaker of the Assembly of the State of California; and Maurice Bean, deputy regional director of the Peace Corps. The ASWC have also sponsored debates between John H. Rousset, former 25th district congressman and John Birch Society leader and A. L. Wirin, chief counsel for the American Civil Liberties Union; and representatives from the Black Muslim and civil rights movements.

International Law Authority Here

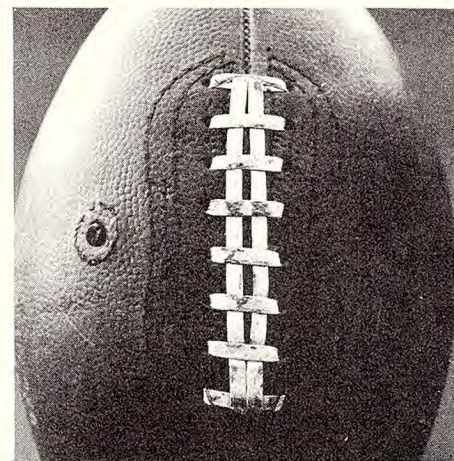
A former president of the American Society of International Law will join the faculty of the political science and international relations department at Whittier College for the spring of 1964.

Dr. Charles E. Martin, who is also a director of the Institute of International Affairs will come to Whittier under a grant from the John Randolph and Dora Haynes Foundation of Los Angeles. Previous Haynes grants have brought to the campus such eminent scholars as Edward S. Corwin, Carl B. Swisher, and Kenneth Boulding.

A recognized authority in the field of international law and world affairs, Dr. Martin will come to Whittier directly from a 15-month U.S. Department of State appointment under which he inaugurated a program of American studies at the University of the Philippines.

A former chairman of the UCLA political science department, Dr. Martin served on the faculty of the University of Washington from 1925-1962. During that time he was a professor of international law, head of the department, and dean of the social science faculty.

A native of Corsicana, Texas, Dr. Martin holds bachelor of arts and master of arts degrees from the University of California at Berkeley and a Ph.D. degree from Columbia University.



Poets Take Seventh Crown

The Poet football team won the SCIAC title for the seventh consecutive year, ending the season with a 6-2-1 record.

Two of the players earned berths on the Associated Press Little All-Coast team. Center Bob Evans '64 was placed on the second team and halfback Ron Hales '65 was given honorable mention.

Whittier tied Arizona State at Flagstaff 6-6; lost to Santa Barbara 7-9; beat Davis 17-14; whipped Nevada 34-13; dropped Occidental 20-7; lost to Pomona 7-9; dumped Cal Western 14-6; and closed the season with a 17-6 victory over Redlands.

Whittier and Occidental had identical 4-1 records in conference standings (Claremont and Cal Tech forfeited to Whittier). However, according to conference rules, the winner of the game between the tying teams is declared the league champion.

In four years as head coach, Godfrey has now compiled a record of 31 wins, 6 losses, and 1 tie in regular season play. He piloted the team to the first unbeaten, untied season in the College's history in 1961.



Susie Jones '64 Homecoming Queen

Susan Jane (Susie) Jones '64, is the second child of an alumnus to be named Homecoming queen at Whittier. The pretty blond, blue-eyed queen is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold (Jane Wilson '34e) Jones '32. A graduate of California High School in Whittier, Miss Jones plans to enter the teaching profession after graduation. Her activities include Cap and Gown, student body secretary, varsity and freshman song leader, and secretary and vice-president of her dormitory. Others on her court were Carolyn Cook '64, Orinda; Susan Farwell '65, Harbor City; Patricia Mitchell '66, Arcadia; and Leslie Bernstein '67, Lake Oswego, Oregon.



Slate Sixth Lecture Series

The Sixth Annual Alumni Lecture Series will take place the third Monday of the months of February, March, April and May. There will be no admission charge this year, since interested alumni are underwriting the costs of putting on the series. As in the past the lectures will be given in Stauffer Lecture Hall on the campus at 8 p.m.

Opening the series will be Dr. Charles E. Martin, visiting professor in political science who comes from the University of the Philippines. The other speakers include Dr. Cora Miller, chairman of the home economics department; and Dr. Homer Hurst, chairman of the education department.

Poet Promenade

The Whittier political science department will be featured December 29 on the KTTV television program "Campus In Action." Program host Bill Welsh will be shown the several different areas of study in the department by Dr. J. W. Robinson, chairman of the department. The program will be broadcast at 6:00 p.m.

The 1963 Acropolis, student yearbook, earned an A+, or special excellent rating, from the National Yearbook Association. Co-editors were Mrs. John (Pat Licata) Price '64, and Tony Realyvasquez '64e.

A forty-member marching and concert band sporting new uniforms was organized the fall semester under the direction of Dr. Lester Remsen, instructor in instrumental music.

A popular folk singing group who got their start on the Whittier College campus and are now singing professionally, returned home for an engagement on October 27. They are Bruce Hobbs '64e, Terry Santo '63e, John Yates '63e, and Larry Hickman.

Jack Mele '43 and Robert Thompson, D.D.S. '43 were recently named recipients of the 1963 1195 Club Spirit Award. The award is presented each year to the graduate(s) of the class 20 years ago who has(have) best exemplified the spirit of Whittier College since graduation.

Past records of the founding, rituals, and meetings of the Docian Society are being sought according to Mrs. Albert Upton. Information to their whereabouts may be sent to her at 620 East Philadelphia Street, Whittier, or to Mrs. Mary Wyatt at the College.

Frank Olsen '64 of Pasadena was recently named a recipient of a Rotary Foundation Fellowship to study in Ireland in 1964-65. He is among 134 students representing 34 different nations who have been awarded Rotary International fellowships for the next year.

Dr. Paul M. Zall, visiting lecturer in English, published "A Hundred Merry Tales and Other English Jestbooks of the 15th and 16th Centuries" in November.

Aubrey Bonham, director of athletics, has published three articles in sports magazines: "Variables of the Discus Throw," in Coach and Athlete Journal; "Teaching Techniques in Shot Putting," for the Prentice Hall "The Clinic"; and "What Makes a Champion Tick?" for the All American and Vigor magazines.

Dr. Inez Hull and Dr. Thomas Harriss, biology professors, attended the 16th International Congress of Zoology in Washington, D.C., recently.

Dr. J. William Robinson, chairman of the department of political science and international relations; and Dr. John Schutz, professor of political science and history, participated in the 40th session of the Institute of World Affairs, of the University of Southern California, at the Huntington-Sheraton hotel, Pasadena, Dec. 1-4. Dr. Robinson is a member of the executive committee and has four times been director.

Dr. C. Milo Connick, chairman of the department of philosophy and religion, has announced his sixth study tour to Europe and the Middle East, departing New York, June 23. Six credits in Sociology of Religion are offered under the Whittier College summer session for four members.

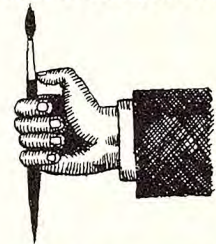
Dr. Nelle G. Slater '50, Dean of Women and assistant professor of religion, was recently cited for her achievements in an article in the magazine The Christian Century, on women theologians in the United States.

Dr. David Bender, professor of physics, was recently coordinator of the Space Rendezvous, Rescue and Recovery symposium, of the American Astronautical Society and the Air Force Flight Test Center, at Edwards Air Force Base.

Dr. James M. Merrill, professor of history, recently published "Quarter-Deck and Fo'c's'le," the story of the U.S. Navy by the men who served. The new book by the naval historian is an anthology selected from letters, log books, official reports, war diaries, essays, and other eye-witness accounts, presenting the story of the Navy through its entire history. Rand McNally is the publisher of the book.

Dr. Roberta Forsberg '39, published "Madame de Stael And Freedom Today," in collaboration with Dr. H. C. Nixon of Vanderbilt University, this fall. Publisher is Twayne Publishers, New York.

Top Artists at Festival Show



A watercolor by Keith Crown was the award winning painting at the Cap and Gown Alumnae-sponsored Festival of Arts this month. The work, entitled "Weeds," is the first picture in the collection of fine contemporary art which Cap and Gown hopes to secure for the College. Funds for the purchase prize were donated by AWS, AMS and ASWC. Artists who submitted paintings for the week-long exhibition were Ben Abril, Walter Askin, Rosa Baumrucker, Dean Bloodgood, Cameron Booth, Lucille Brokaw, Richard Campbell, Samuel Clayberger, Paul Darrow, Milton Gershgoren, Robert Hansen, Robert Hartman, Catherine Heerman, James Hueter, Robert Jensen, Jack Justice, Gerd Koch, Irene Koch, Ernest Lacy, John Leeper, Hilda Levy, Davis Miller, Yoshio C. Nakamura, Ruth Osgood, Noel Quinn, Larry Rink, Vic Smith, Jack Stuck, Willie Suzuki, Gordon Wagner, Elsa Warner and Milford Zornes.

Demonstrations were given throughout Saturday afternoon of the Festival by Rachel Ulrey, watercolor; F. Carlton Ball, ceramics; Esther Dendell, mosaics; Tink Strother, oils; Roland Shutt, ceramics; Peterpaul Ott, sculpture; Pat Heard, serigraph; H. L. Mason, caricature. On display were metal sculpture by Tom Bewley, interior design by Gladys Merrit; basketry art and industry by Malcolm Farmer; Japanese flower arrangements by Jean Marumoto and Judy McHenry. A fashion show was given by Christy's of Whittier with accessories by The Shoe Box and coiffures by Ric Kolle. Models were Cap and Gown alumnae and actives.

Proceeds from the Festival go to the Marjorie E. Gregg Student Assistance Fund which is maintained by Cap and Gown Alumnae.

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New Format for Rock

The Rock will be published in its present form for the remainder of the 1963-64 year, Director of Alumni Relations William H. (Mo) Marumoto '57 announces.

Because the alumni giving program has not matched the cost to the college of supporting the various features of the alumni program, it will be necessary to economize on the last three issues of the publication for this year.

"We hope this decision will focus the attention of all alumni on the importance of their financial support," Marumoto said.

Whittier Coeds in Rose Parade



January 1, 1964, the Whittier Area Rose Float will ride down Colorado Boulevard in Pasadena bearing three Whittier College coeds for the first time in the history of the association.

The climax of several months of work and cooperation between the college and the association, the float was designed by a Whittier student, Gary Victor of Riverside. Selected as the queen in this first year of cooperation was Carolyn Crowell '66, a brown-eyed, brunette from Long Beach. Carolyn's mother, the former Annabelle Weih, rode the Long Beach float in the parade as a princess in 1939.

Riding with Carolyn will be Shirley Fujisaki '64, of Honolulu, Oahu, Hawaii; and Sandy Perry '66, of La Habra and the daughter of Reylas J. Perry '35.

The three girls were selected from an original group of 60 nominated by Whittier students in early October. The queen was crowned in a ceremony December 9 at the King's Retreat Restaurant in Whittier.



Smith Again Heads ICSC

Dr. Paul S. Smith, president of Whittier College, was re-elected to the presidency of the Independent Colleges of Southern California, Inc. First elected to the post in 1962, Smith has previously served as secretary and vice-president of the organization.

The Independent Colleges is an association of eleven private liberal arts colleges united to promote the support of private higher education by the business community. During the past fiscal year 223 subscribers contributed \$442,000 to the association.

Members include Claremont Men's, Claremont Graduate School and University Center, Immaculate Heart, La Verne, Loyola University, Mount St. Mary's, Occidental, Pepperdine, Redlands, Scripps, and Whittier.

Two Students Win NSF Grants

Two Whittier College biology majors, John Crow '64 and Ken Burry '64, successfully competed with 360 top biology students from across the nation for 29 National Science Foundation grants for undergraduate research. The only students from California to be awarded grants, they both

spent 10 weeks at the University of Oregon. Crow conducted research in the field of plant ecology and systematics and Burry worked in the field of physiology. Crow plans to seek a Ph.D. degree in some phase of botanical research upon graduation this June and Burry will work for an M.D. degree.

Associates Program Ahead

President Leonard H. Crofoot '49 reported that membership in the Whittier College Associates is well ahead of last year's pace at the end of November.

He reported that this year 58 alumni and friends have contributed \$8185 compared to 29 members giving \$2925 last year at this time. For the 1962-63 year, a total of 136 Associates contributed \$24,890.

An organization comprised of alumni and friends who contribute a minimum of one hundred dollars or more annually, it is currently in its fourth year of operation. During this time the Associates have given nearly \$75,000 to the College.

Crofoot announced that the Associates are planning to sponsor an affair sometime during the Spring. At that time members and prospective members will be invited to participate in a half day program on the campus to see and hear about some of the latest developments.

Enrollment Tops 1600 to Set Record

Enrollment at Whittier College the fall semester topped 1600 to set an all-time record for the 63-year-old liberal arts college.

According to Mrs. Richard Scott, registrar, the increase is due primarily to a greater number of upper classmen, since freshman class enrollment this year was limited to 425. The previous high was established last fall when 1556 students enrolled for classes.

Extended day enrollment, tabulated separately, is also showing an increase over last fall when 335 people enrolled for evening classes at the college.